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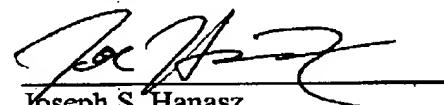
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Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed the following documents pertaining to the above referenced application:

16-page Response to Office Action

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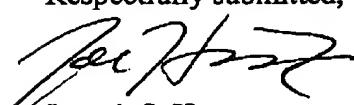
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